## Message

From: Sawyers, Andrew [Sawyers.Andrew@epa.gov]

**Sent**: 1/31/2019 3:54:44 PM

**To**: Gutierrez, Sally [Gutierrez.Sally@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: FURTHER INFORMATION - FW: Public notice of 401 water quality certification request

## **Thanks**

From: Gutierrez, Sally

Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2019 7:44 AM

To: Sawyers, Andrew <Sawyers.Andrew@epa.gov>

Subject: FURTHER INFORMATION - FW: Public notice of 401 water quality certification request

Good morning Andrew,

Asked Mike about the EPA public notice on the permits. He verified that they have not yet gone out for notice. We should try and get resolution on the 316 (b) issue. I'll talk to Mike again this morning to get a better understanding of the state of Washington 401 certification processes.

From: Lidgard, Michael

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 30, 2019 9:23 PM **To:** Gutierrez, Sally < Gutierrez, Sally @epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Public notice of 401 water quality certification request

That's right. EPA has not gone to public notice yet and that could cause some confusion. As you know we are holding as the agency works through the 316b issue.

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On Jan 30, 2019, at 5:19 PM, Gutierrez, Sally < Gutierrez, Sally@epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks so much Mike. We haven't gone to notice on these ourselves yet, right?

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On Jan 30, 2019, at 7:09 PM, Lidgard, Michael < Lidgard. Michael@epa.gov > wrote:

Hi Sally, I just left a rambling voice mail about this topic. Here is the public notice from WA that they have received a 401 cert request from EPA. Call me tomorrow and we can discuss further. Thanks - Mike

From: McGowan, Vincent (ECY) < wmcg461@ECY.WA.GOV>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 30, 2019 12:05 PM **To:** Lidgard, Michael < Lidgard. Michael @epa.gov>

Subject: FW: Public notice of 401 water quality certification request

Hello Mike-

You've likely already received this but wanted to make sure you're aware that our public notice went live earlier today. Thanks-

Vince McGowan, PE | Section Manager | Ecology | Water Quality | ph.360-407-6460

From: News and Information about water quality from the Department of Ecology [mailto:ECOLOGY-WATER-QUALITY-INFO@LISTSERV.ECOLOGY.WA.GOV] On Behalf Of

Keltz, Colleen (ECY)

Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 10:46 AM

**To:** ECOLOGY-WATER-QUALITY-INFO@LISTSERV.ECOLOGY.WA.GOV **Subject:** Public notice of 401 water quality certification request

The following notice was sent through the 401 Water Quality Certification listserv today. We are sharing this information with the Water Quality Info listserv. Apologies for any duplication.

Subject: Public Notice - Multiple Counties

The Department of Ecology has issued a Public Notice for the following project:

 U.S. EPA – Nine Federal Dams on the Columbia and Snake Rivers, Multiple Counties

Public Notice Date: January 30, 2019 Comment Period Ends: February 19, 2019

The public notices are available on Ecology's Federal Permit Website: <a href="https://ecology.wa.gov/401-and-CZM-public-notices">https://ecology.wa.gov/401-and-CZM-public-notices</a>.

## Comments to Ecology should be sent to:

Dept. of Ecology – SEA Program Attn: Federal Permit Coordinator PO BOX 47600 Olympia, WA 98504

Or

Submitted Online

Let us know if you have any questions!

Thank you, Federal Permit Unit



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